GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

P.S. – PR&RD Dept., - Srikakulam District – Sri K.Gowripathi the then DPO (now Retd) Srikakulam District - Allegation of irregular sanction of lease for sand and illegal quarrying of sand in Sy.No.2432 of Korada (V), Hiramandalam (M), Srikakulam District - Imposition of penalty of 20% cut in Pension for a period of five (5) years – Review Petition filed – Modified the penalty to that of 10% cut in pension for a period of three (3) years – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (Vig.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 769 **Dated: 22-08-2016**

Read the following:-

Ref:-1.G.O.Rt.No.218, PR&RD(Vig.III) Dept., Dated.28.02.2015.
2**.**Review Petition filed by Sri K.Gowripathi, former DPO, Srikakulam District now Retired, dt.24.03.2015.
3.Govt.Letter No.5494/Vig.III/A1/2015, dt.09.06.2016.
4.From Prl.Secy, APPSC, Letter No.539/DC&C/2/2016, dt.26.07.2016

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O R D E R:-

In the reference 1st read above, Govt., have imposed a punishment of 20% cut in pension for a period of 5 years against Sri K.Gowripathi, the then District Panchayat Officer, Srikakulam District (Now Retired) under Rule 9 of A.P.Revised Pension Rules, 1980 on the allegation of irregular sanction of lease for sand and illegal quarrying of sand in Sy.No.2432 of Korada (V), Hiramandalam (M), Srikakulam District.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the individual has filed a Review petition before Govt., for the punishment inflicted of 20% cut in pension for a period of 5 years is to be reduced to 10% cut in Pension for a period of 3 years humanitarian and moral grounds.

3. Government, after taking into consideration of the circumstances stated by the appellant, have provisionally decided to modify the penalty of 20% cut in pension for a period of 5 years imposed in the G.O.2nd cited to that of 10% cut in pension for a period of 3 years against Sri K.Gowripathi, the then DPO, Srikakulam District (Now Retired). The Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, has been consulted for their concurrence on the proposed modification of the penalty against the Retired Officer vide reference 3rd cited.

4. The APPSC have concurred with the revised punishment of 10% cut in pension for a period of three (3) years to be imposed against Sri K.Gowripathi the then DPO (now Retd) Srikakulam District vide reference 4th cited.

5. The Government, after taking into consideration of the circumstances stated by the individual, hereby order to modify the penalty of 20% cut in pension for a period of 5 years imposed in the G.O.1st read above to that of 10% cut in pension for a period of 3 years against Sri K.Gowripathi, the then DPO, Srikakulam District (Now Retired).

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6. The Commissioner of PR&RE., A.P. / the District Collector(PW), Srikakulam shall take necessary further action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR&RWS)

To
Sri K.Gowripathi, the then District Panchayat Officer, Srikakulam District (Now Retired) through Commissioner, PR&RE, A.P., Vijayawada,
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